

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: ETHICON, INC.,  
PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEMS  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL NO. 2327

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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE CASES  
ON THE EXHIBIT ATTACHED HERETO

**ORDER**

(Dismissing Defendant American Medical Systems, Inc. from Certain  
Cases without Prejudice)

Pending in MDL 2327, 2:12-md-2327 [ECF No. 2372], is a Joint Motion to Dismiss Defendant American Medical Systems, Inc. Without Prejudice filed by plaintiffs, identified on the attached Exhibit A, and American Medical Systems, Inc. ("AMS") seeking dismissal of AMS from these actions, without prejudice, because all claims between them have been compromised and settled, including all claims, counterclaims, cross-claims and third party claims. Other defendants remain in these actions, and plaintiffs will continue to prosecute these actions against them. After careful consideration, it is **ORDERED** that the Joint Motion to Dismiss AMS without Prejudice is **GRANTED**.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2:12-md-2327 and in the individual cases listed on the attached Exhibit A.

ENTER: August 24, 2016



JOSEPH R. GOODWIN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**EXHIBIT A – CHILDERS SCHLUETER & SMITH**

<b>CIVIL ACTION NUMBER</b> (listed numerically in ascending order)	<b>CASE NAME</b>
2:13-CV-02009	Cheryl White v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc.
2:13-CV-05333	Betty M. Maynard, Atlas "Alan" Maynard, III v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc.